



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

NIHEI, Mizuhisa, et al.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Date: April 14, 2008

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2007, for one month from March 13, 2008, to April 13, 2008.

Please charge Deposit Account 01-2340 the amount of \$120.00, to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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